

## JOINT RESOLUTION No. 2-97

### **Subject : Resolution Constituting the Inter-Agency Consultative Body**

WHEREAS, on June 11, 1997, the Heads of Agencies engaged in Maintenance of Integrity and Efficiency in Government have entered into and signed a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) binding themselves to coordinate with one another in the fight against graft and corruption;

WHEREAS, Section 1 (b) of the MOA provides for the setting up of an Inter-Agency Committee to discuss techniques and strategies in the prevention, detection, investigation, and prosecution of graft cases;

WHEREAS, the Inter-Agency Consultative Committee is to be composed of representative from each agency with a rank not lower than a deputy Commissioner, assistant secretary, or an officer of equivalent rank;

WHEREAS, considering the activities to be attended to by the Inter-Agency Consultative Committee in the implementation of the MOA, there is need to provide an out-of-pocket expenses in the amount of Five Hundred pesos (P500.00) per meeting to each member of the Inter-Agency Consultative Committee but not to exceed the permissible ceiling under National Compensation Circular No. 75 issued by the Department of Budget and Management;

NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of Ombudsman Aniano A. Desierto be it resolved, as it is hereby resolved that the Inter-Agency Consultative Committee be constituted with each Agency designating a representative thereto.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that this aforementioned out-of-pocket expense should be enjoyed effective July 1, 1997 chargeable against the saving of the representative Agency.

Signed this 11<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1997, at Quezon City, Philippines.

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